

Old State Bank  
Walnut Street  
Macon, Bibb Co.  
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HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY  
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SLADE HOUSES AND OLD STATE BANK  
Macon, Bibb County, Georgia  
453 Walnut Street

Owner: Paul Damour owns house. Mr. and Mrs. Walker own Old State Bank and use as residence.

Date of Erection: 1827 or before.

Architect - Builder:

Present Condition: Run down.

Number of Stories: Both house and servant's house at rear, - two story. Bank one story. Faces south. Extension of porch on house on west side added later.

Materials of Construction: Houses have foundation of brick. Wood floors. Exterior walls of brick. Interior walls frame and plaster. Shingle roof. The old Bank has brick foundation, exterior walls brick with stucco lined. Shingle roof.

Other Existing Records: Bibb County, Georgia Deed Book B pp 162,280 - Book C p 43.

Additional Data: Houses have simple brick cornice with brick dentils, gable roof and end chimneys. One story entrance stoop, once apparently double. Separate doorways with fanlights (no sidelights). Steps to each house. Old mantel in front room in house on east. Front windows paneled below and window trim carries to floor.

The old State Bank may have been built earlier, connected with house to west with a door. Has pediment roof. The old servants' cottage and kitchen in rear has pitch roof, the gable extending over exterior wood stair.

Houses built by John Crane and have brick party wall between extending as garden wall through garden to rear alley.

East house sold to Marmaduke D. J. Slade and Gro. Smith in 1828, and is probably oldest house in Macon. Slade sold same to Bank of the State of Georgia in 1829. The west house being owned at that time by Simri Rose. In 1830 Simri Rose bought from Slade the east house and servants' house and kitchen which had been deeded back to Slade by Bank for \$2400.00. The southeast corner of lot occupied by Bank was owned by Bank of State of Georgia and not included in this sale. The present owners of bank are Mr. and Mrs. Walker. Asher Ayers bought the west half in 1858 and the Ayers Estate etill owne it.

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